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PATENT APPLICATION

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| In re Application of | : | Augustinus BADER                               |
| Serial no.           | : | 10/523,454                                     |
| Filed                | : | with an effective filing date of July 28, 2003 |
| For                  | : | METHOD AND DEVICE FOR CULTURING                |
|                      | : | CELLS  |
| Group Art Unit       | : | 1651   |
| Examiner             | : | Allison M. FORD                                |
| Docket               | : | HEUBEN P03AUS (Formerly LORWER P33AUS)         |

**MAIL STOP AF**The Commissioner for Patents  
U.S. Patent & Trademark Office  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

**[XXX] NO FEES ARE PAYABLE WITH RESPECT TO THIS RESPONSE.**

In response to the official action mailed September 20, 2007, please enter the following before reconsideration of this application.

**In the Claims:**

Please cancel apparatus claims 108 - 112, without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter therein, and amend claims 87, 96 and 120 as follows in which the claim additions are shown by underlining and/or the claim deletions are shown by strikeout or brackets. Please enter the amended claims into the record of this case.

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